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MUTINEERS AT LAST SURRENDER WARSHIP

**Kniaz Potemkine Turned Over
To Roumanian Officials.**

TURKEY ORDERED TO SINK SHIP

The mutineers offer the warship to Roumania as a present and want passports furnished them by that government.

KUSTENJI, Roumania, July 10.—The mutinous crew of the Kniaz Potemkine and her consort, the rebel torpedo boat, have surrendered to the Roumanian authorities, have landed and are now being dispatched in small parties to different places in Roumania.

KUSTENJI, Roumania, July 10.—The mutineers on the Kniaz Potemkine have offered to surrender as deserters and the Roumanian authorities have demanded the breech blocks of the ship's guns as a pledge of good faith.

The formal announcement of the surrender of the mutineers is expected shortly.

The mutineers have offered to present the battleship to the Roumanian government as they declare they are anxious that she should not be handed over to Russia.

The Kniaz Potemkine arrived here today accompanied by a torpedo boat and now lies in the outer harbor near the Russian guardship Paeouape. The Roumanian cruiser Elisabeta and the training ship Mircea are in close proximity. General Angelesco, commanding the Dobruja division, and the port commander, proceeded to the battleship to demand an explanation of the reasons for her reappearance in Roumanian waters.

Soon after she had anchored the Kniaz Potemkine began exchanging signals with the Royal guardship Paeouape. The appearance of the Potemkine and the rumors concerning an intended surrender, caused the greatest excitement in Kustenji, and attracted large crowds to the sea front.

The mutineers asked the Roumanian authorities to guarantee that they could furnish the sailors who surrendered with the Roumanian passports and to guarantee that they shall not be extradited to Russia. The local authorities are waiting for instructions from Bucharest, and in the meantime the commander of the port is preparing a berth for the Kniaz Potemkine.

Sink Ship Says Russia.

Constantinople, July 10.—The Russian embassy has authorized Turkey to sink the Russian battleship Kniaz Potemkine if she appears at the entrance of the Bosphorus. The port called the attention of the embassy to the possibility of the battleship attempting to force a battle off the Bosphorus and asked what ought to be done under such circumstances. "Sink her without hesitation," was the reply.

The Turkish dispatch boat Issedin, consequently, was sent to try to communicate with the Kniaz Potemkine at the entrance of the Bosphorus, which will be sunk if possible.

Detailed Account of Lodz Riot.

St. Petersburg, July 10.—The Official Messenger this morning prints a detailed account of the disturbance at Lodz, and editorially declares that they were unjustified by local economic conditions and were fomented by revolutionary, socialist and Jewish agitators. The account says that the disturbances culminated June 23 in an open conflict between the troops of the rioters. On that day 160 of the rioters were killed and 152 wounded. An officers and three soldiers were wounded and two police agents were wounded and many others, while \$50,000 worth of property was destroyed.

Wealthy Chicagoan Found Dead.

Chicago, July 10.—Lawrence L. Hull

was found dead in his room today at the Union club, where he had lived for the past ten years. Dr. W. A. D. Montgomery, who arrived shortly after Mr. Hull's death, thinks Mr. Hull died of heart disease. A bottle containing corrosive sublimate was found in the room, but Mr. Hull's friends place no credence in a theory of suicide. Dr. Montgomery said he had prescribed corrosive sublimate as a lotion for an affection of the skin, a disease that had annoyed Mr. Hull for some time.

WOMAN SAVES FIREMEN'S LIVES

They Were Overcome by "Back Draught" in New York Fire.

New York, July 10.—Miss Caroline Baumgartner, of this city, saved the lives of a number of persons who had been overcome by the "back draught" in a serious fire in the Wing building in Ninth avenue.

She once spent a few weeks at a training school for nurses and when she saw several firemen lying on the sidewalk, some of them unconscious, she insisted on caring for them until the arrival of the physicians summoned to the scene. The first man she attended had been given up for dead, but she dispatched a bystander for whisky, ice, water and ammonia, and by diligent efforts induced artificial respiration. Seeing that the patient was unconscious she ran into the roadway and treated another injured man and then another, kneeling in the muddy gutter, calmly at work with bandages, and ammonia, while the crowd of onlookers encouraged her.

China Refused Russia's Request.

Pekin, July 10.—M. Pokotloff, the Russian minister at Pekin, has left for Washington. Prior to his departure, he requested the board of foreign affairs to sanction the dispatch of a small body of Russian soldiers as an escort to the Dalai Lama to the borders of Tibet. The Chinese replied that an escort was superfluous and refused their consent. Russia is apparently desirous to emphasize the fact that Lama is under their protection and it is reported that the Lama is drawing funds from a Russian bank at Kiachta. Minister Pokotloff recently privately interviewed the Lama at Urga and gave him presents. The Lama is still at Urga.

Pension Examining Surgeons Meet.

Chicago, July 10.—The National Association of pension examining surgeons has convened here for a two days' session, with 125 pension examiners, representing 4,500 members of the pension board in attendance. In order to further the movement toward doing away with whatever friction exists between the pension boards and the pension authorities at Washington, Dr. Sam Houston, medical referee of the pension bureau, was invited to attend the convention. The convention will be devoted largely to the reading of papers on diseases peculiar to old soldiers.

Excursions for Endeavorers.

Baltimore, July 10.—Today is "Excursion Day" to the 30,000 Christian Endeavorers now attending the national convention of the society. The visitors and delegates are off today on three different excursions to Washington, where District Commissioner McFarland will deliver an address from the capitol steps, one to the battlefield of Gettysburg; one down the Chesapeake which will include pastors and visitors. Among the guests are Governor Warfield and Mayor Timanus and their families. All will return in time to attend a "camp-fire" which will be held in Armory hall tonight.

Elks to Meet in Buffalo.

Louisville, July 10.—Robert W. Brown, chairman of the board of grand trustees of the Order of Elks, left today for Buffalo. The Louisville delegation to the National convention tomorrow on a special train Pullman cars via the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern and the Big Four. The Louisville headquarters will be at the hotel Iroquois and the delegation will entertain lavishly there and at the hotel Ellicott. Mr. Brown will resign as chairman of the trustees board and

INSIDE TIP GIVEN COTTON BROKERS

Government Statistics On Cotton Crop Leaks Out.

IN LEAGUE WITH THE BROKERS

This Outcome Is the Result of an Investigation Started by the Cotton Planters' Association, Who Charged that Information Leaked Out.

Washington, July 10.—As a result of the investigation by secret service agents into the charges made by Richard Cheatham, secretary of the Cotton Planters' association, that information had been given to cotton brokers in New York by some person or persons in the bureau of statistics, department of agriculture, Secretary Wilson today made public an official report in which he states that Edwin S. Holmes, the associate statistician has been guilty of "juggling" the official report. The report says:

"It has been found that Mr. Holmes communicated advance information to L. C. Van Riper, a New York broker, and M. Haas, of New York, who acted as a go-between in conveying information from Holmes to other New York brokers, including Theodore Price. Steps have been taken by Secretary Wilson to prevent any further leakage of the department figures and an entire reorganization of the bureau of statistics and manner of preparing monthly crop reports has been outlined by him. The papers in connection with the investigation were referred to the United States attorney for the District of Columbia and he has reported that in his opinion a criminal prosecution will not lie against Holmes. Holmes has been dismissed from the service of the department.

According to the report, Wilson Judd of New York, formerly in the employ of L. N. Van Riper induced the latter to tell of his connection with the latter to tell of his connection with Holmes and then made the information to Mr. Cheatham. Van Riper became the principal witness in the investigation conducted by the secret service and said he was induced to communicate the fact that advance information was given out by Holmes because he had heard that Holmes and his associates had intended to try to manipulate the June cotton report.

Using this information as a foundation, the secret service agents interviewed numerous persons who had been mentioned by Judson and Van Riper as well as gathering a mass of correspondence including many letters written by Holmes to Van Riper and others. The report made to Secretary Wilson and the secretary's comments, together with details of the new plan of conducting the bureau of statistics, makes more than 4,000 words. It reviews the entire investigation beginning with the charges that were laid before Secretary Wilson by Mr. Cheatham several weeks ago. The charges by Mr. Cheatham were backed up with certain evidence that information had been given to cotton brokers in New York by some person or persons employed in the bureau of statistics, relative to the acreage and condition of the cotton crop of the United States prior to the official publication of the information and that the crop figures had been tampered with in the department in the interests of certain cotton speculators. Secretary Wilson determined once upon a thorough investigation and furnished to officers of the United States secret service all of the evidence which has been given to the department. Agents then were put in touch with Mr. Cheatham and directed to use every possible effort to ascertain whether there had been a leak in the department, and if so to furnish the secretary with the name of the person or persons responsible. Holmes is the only employee of the government who has been found to have had any connection with supplying information to brokers prior to the publication of the official report.

After reviewing the charges made

vice agents. Mr. Van Riper, the New York broker under examination said he became acquainted with Mr. Holmes in New York in Aug., 1904, through a "mutual friend." According to this testimony Holmes told Mr. Van Riper he could get information concerning the government crop report, principally through the report of the general agents and the report of the state agents. Van Riper said Holmes furnished him with information from time to time for several months in advance of the publication of official figures and that the information furnished by Holmes corresponded exactly with the figures afterward published as the official crop report.

Price Denies Everything.

New York, July 10.—Theodore H. Price, the New York cotton broker, today declared that he had no acquaintances with or knowledge of either T. C. Van Riper or M. Haas, from whom he is said in a report of the department of agriculture, to have received information concerning the cotton crop.

ELEVEN MEN ARE DROWNED.

They Were Thrown From Boat Into Swift Flowing Water.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., July 10.—A terrible accident occurred at Little Falls dam, and eleven lost their lives in the water.

A crew of 74 men had been sent out by the Chippewa Lumber and Broom company to break a log jam below the falls.

A crew of 15 men started in a boat for the center of the stream. Louis Gokey and Andrew Cagnon were running the boat, which was overloaded, and as it touched the lower end of the jam three men jumped and landed safely on the logs.

The other 12, however, were carried away into the wild rapids, where the boat was capsized, throwing all into the water. They were all good swimmers, but the water was too swift, and only one succeeded in saving himself. He was a 17-year-old boy, Eddie Martin of Chippewa Falls.

Canadian Sailors Mutiny.

Halifax, N. S., July 10.—The attempt of the government to transfer Canadian mails from the Allan line turbine steamship Virginia to Sydney and thence to Montreal by rail has developed the fact that the crew of the Canadian government cruiser Canada is in open revolt against Captain Kwnolton, who is in command of the vessel. Five of the crew are now in jail for refusing duty. The men allege bad treatment; that the decks leak, making the use of the hammocks impossible, and the bedding has not been changed for months.

Tragedy in Tennessee Town.

Nashville, Tenn., July 10.—A terrible tragedy occurred on the main thoroughfare of Dickson, Tenn., this morning in which Dr. E. W. Reddings, the town's leading physician, was shot five times by J. E. Fowler, a musician. Fowler charged Reddings with ruining his home. The wounded man is in a critical condition and can live but a short while. Fowler is believed to be insane. The tragedy has caused the intensest excitement at Dickson.

Socialists Bar Policemen.

Chicago, July 10.—Militiamen, policemen, deputy sheriffs and other officers of the law are to be barred forever from membership in the industrial workers of the world, as the Socialist leaders have styled their new labor organization. Resolutions declaring against the admission of police officers into the new union were adopted unanimously at the convention now in session here.

Killed His Idiotic Son.

Morrisville, Pa., July 10.—Driven to distraction by remorse and the ever haunting memory of his crime, Gustav A. Closson, 52 years old, has confessed that he murdered his 11-year-old son because the child was an idiot. Closson deliberately planned, he says, to kill his son because he was an idiot.

JAPANESE ENVOYS SAIL FOR AMERICA

**Enthusiastically Cheered As
Steamship Departs.**

BANDS PLAY PATRIOTIC AIRS

Baron Jutaro Komura and Minister

Kogoro Takohira Will Represent Japan at Peace Conference To Be Held at Our National Capital.

Yokohama, Japan, July 10.—The steamer Minnesota of the great northern line having on board the Japanese peace plenipotentiaries sailed from this point for Seattle at 4:30 this afternoon. The governor of Yokohama and the civic bodies escorted the plenipotentiaries to the pier, where they were received by a military guard. At the pier the plenipotentiaries and their suites entered launches and were conveyed to the Minnesota which was dressed with flags as were all other ships in the harbor.

The Marquis Ito, Premier Katsura, the other members of the cabinet, Mr. Griscom, the American minister and the staff of the legation, were among those who accompanied Baron Komura and his party to the Minnesota. An enormous crowd of Japanese and foreigners with bands of music assembled at the water front and general enthusiasm was manifested, the bands playing patriotic airs and the crowd discharging fireworks.

On arriving on board the Minnesota Baron Komura and those who accompanied him partook of a collation after which the ship sailed amid a storm of "banzais." The Japanese guard ship, Takao, fired a salute of 19 guns as the Minnesota put to sea escorted by a torpedo boat and a naval steamer specially detailed to convey her out of Tokyo bay.

The Japanese peace plenipotentiaries are Baron Jutaro Komura and Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister to the United States. Accompanying Baron Komura from Japan are so far as is ascertainable here Colonel Tanihara, of the war office; M. Yamada, director of the bureau of political affairs; M. Saito, director of the bureau of information, and H. W. Denison (American) adviser of the foreign office and a number of interpreters, clerks and others appointed to assist the plenipotentiaries. Premier Katsura will act as foreign minister during the absence of Baron Komura.

SEPARATE CARS FOR NEGROES

Senator Strange Introduces Bill—Legislature Adjourns 'Till Monday.

Atlanta, July 10.—Senator Strange of Bulloch county, wants the negroes who ride on street cars to have separate cars or compartments provided for them and in the senate he introduced a bill which, if passed, will require all street car companies doing business in Georgia to provide separate cars or compartments for the negroes.

The senate passed the house resolution concerning the Chinese exclusion act, and after the resolution was read it was lost.

Owing to the fact that no committees have been appointed there will be no session of either the house or the senate until Monday morning. At the conclusion of business in both branches of the general assembly motions to adjourn until Monday morning were made and carried, and a majority of the members of the house and senate will go to their homes Friday night.

Lone Highwayman Robs Stage.

Meadows, Idaho, July 10.—The stage from Warren to Meadows has been held up by a lone highwayman near Resort station. The bandit covered the driver with two automatic revolvers and compelled him to cut open his mail sacks and throw them down. He then removed all the registered letters. Two passengers and the driver were held up and relieved of their valuables.